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## AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIFICATION

In response the Examiner's comments in paragraph 1, please delete the second paragraph on page 7 and insert the following amended paragraph as the second paragraph on page 7:

The reduction gradient in the diameter of outer surface 26 of grip body 22 from shaft end 25 to cap end 24 is uniform along the axial distance from shaft end 25 to cap end 24. In the preferred embodiment of the present invention, the diameter of grip body 22 at shaft end 25 is within the range of 0.92" - 0.95" and the diameter of grip body 22 at cap end 24 is in the range of 0.77" - 0.80". It is understood by persons having skill in the art that the diameter of body grip 22 at cap end 24 and shaft end 25 thereof may be altered to adapt to the physical size of the user. However, the diameter of body grip 22 at shaft end 25 is always larger than the diameter at cap end 24.

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.121 (b)(1)(iii), Applicant hereby submits the following marked-up version of the second paragraph on page 7:

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The reduction gradient in the diameter of [the] outer surface 26 of grip body 22 from shaft end 25 to cap end 24 is uniform along the axial distance from shaft end 25 to cap end 24. In the preferred embodiment of the present invention, the diameter of grip body 22 at [the] shaft [cap] end 25 is within the range of 0.92" -0.95" and the diameter of grip body 22 at cap end 24 is in the range of 0.77" - 0.80". It is understood by persons having skill in the art that the diameter of [the] body grip 22 at [the] cap end 24 and shaft end 25 thereof may be altered to adapt to the physical size of the user. However, the diameter of [the] body grip 22 at shaft end 25 is always larger than the diameter at cap end 24.